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*Naples, July* 23.

THE Sieur *du Queſne* continues, with the Men of War under his Command, at the Iſle of *Procida*, from whence he ſends to buy freſh Proviſions here, which are, by order of our Viceroy, furniſhed at the uſual rates; and the Viceroy has likewiſe Commanded, that no occaſion of Offence be given the French that come hither for that purpoſe, or otherwiſe to ſatisfie their curioſity, which the ordinary ſort of people, who have little kindneſs for that Nation, would be ready enough to do. The Allarms we have frequently had of late of the deſigns of the Turks againſt this Kingdom, are, as we have reaſon to believe, groundleſs; however our Viceroy continues to provide againſt the worſt, by putting all the Maritine places in ſuch a poſture, as that they may be able to make a good defence, in caſe an Enemy appear.

*Milan, July* 24. The French King is ſending the Cardinal *d' Eſtree* to *Rome*, to endeavour to adjuſt the preſent differences concerning the Regalities. His Eminence will paſs by *Turin*, and it's ſaid he will have ſome Overtures to make to that Court. The Duke of *Savoy* has cauſed a very rich Preſent of Jewels to be prepared for the *Infanta* of *Portugal*, his deſigned Wife.

*Venice, July* 27. The laſt Letters we had from *Conſtantinople* told us that the Grand Vizier continues to give the Forreign Miniſters, reſiding there, great cauſe of Complaint againſt him, his manner of proceeding with them being as new as extraordinary. The Letters add, That there was very ſmall appearance of compoſing matters between the Turks and the Moſcovites, as long as the latter continued reſolved not to part with the *Ukraine*, which the Turks demand.

*Lintz, Aug.* 8. The Imperial Troops which are ordered to march towards *Hungary* are to Rendevous at *Altenburg*, from whence they will continue their March, according as the State of Affairs ſhall require. That which gave occaſion to the drawing theſe Troops together, was an advice ſome of the Emperors Miniſters received that the Vizier of *Buda* was in the Field with 10000 men, and that his deſign was to joyn with the Rebels, which appearing to be a miſtake, it's probable that the ſaid Imperial Troops, or at leaſt ſome part of them, will be Countermanded.

*Ratisbonne, Aug.* 3. The States of the Empire, who we told you in our laſt had diſpatched the Letter they had reſolved to write to the King of *England*, have likewiſe ſent away that to the moſt Chriſtian King, wherein they do at large repreſent to his Majeſty the unjuſt and violent Proceedings of his Officers, and the particular Complaints that have been made to them by the Princes of the Empire that have been injured (which would be too tedious to repeat here) and pray his Majeſty would give order that theſe grievances may be redreſſed, and that the Peace may be more punctually obſerved for the future. Since the Diſpatch of which Letters the Prince of *Baden* has, by his Miniſter here, acquainted the Dyet, That the French have by force poſſeſſed themſelves of the Baillages of *Beinhim* and *Graffenſtein*, which have for ſeveral Ages belonged to the ſaid Prince of *Baden* and his Predeceſſors, and that they have Summoned the Inhabitants thereof, within 15 days, to pay Homage to the moſt Chriſtian King, and to acknowledge no other Lord and Sovereign than him.

*Strasburg, Aug* 6. The French go on with the new Fortifications they are making in *Alſace* and on the *Saar*. We are told that Monſieur *de Louvoy* will be very ſuddenly in theſe parts, when it's believed the deſigns of the French King, if he have any on this ſide, will begin to appear.

*Hamburg, Aug.* 9. The King of *Denmark* is returned to *Copenhagen* from his Progreſs in *Oldenburg* and *Holſtein*. He had indeed a meeting with the Duke of *Holſtein*, but we hear not of any effect it had towards the removing the miſunderſtanding that has for ſome time been between thoſe two Princes. There is not at preſent any talk of reſtoring *Wiſmar* to the Suedes, and it ſeems the King of *Denmark* is reſolved not to part with it, till they have paid the Arrears of Contributions which they are owing to the *Danes*.

*Cologne, Aug.* 13. From *Metz* our Letters tell us that the Mareſchal *de Crequi* had received orders to repair to *Stenay*, to meet the King there on the 25th Inſtant, and to give him an account of the condition he found the places, he was to viſit in *Alſace*, in. The Marquis *de Bouffliers* is likewiſe marching with his Dragoons towards *Stenay*, to make a review of them in the Kings preſence. The Earl of *Middleton*, the King of *Englands* Envoy Extraordinary to the Emperor, arrived at *Ratisbonne* the firſt Inſtant, where he was viſited and Complimented by moſt of the publick Miniſters, and on the 4th he continued his Journey towards *Lintz*, where the Imperial Court at preſent is.

*Hague, Aug.* 16. On Tueſday laſt the French Ambaſſador acquainted the States General that he had ſomething of Moment to communicate to them, and therefore deſired they would appoint Commiſſioners with whom he might have a meeting: The States having accordingly Deputed ſome of their Body, they met in the Afternoon, and the Ambaſſador acquainted them with the King his Maſter's Anſwer to the Letter the States had writ to his Majeſty, deſiring a farther Prolongation of the Term for the King of *Spain* to declare himſelf in concerning the Title of *Burgundy*, which was, That his Majeſty had, at the inſtance of the ſaid States, and to manifeſt the great Regard he has to what they deſire of him, granted the Spaniards another Month, that is, till the 15th of *September*, to give their poſitive Anſwer in this matter. This being

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